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STATEMENT OF FCC CHAIRMAN MICHAEL POWELL ON U.S. SUPREME COURT DECISION TO TAKE UP NEXTWAVE CASE

I am gratified that the Supreme Court has decided to review the D.C. Circuit's decision in the NextWave case. This will allow the Court to clarify the relationship between public spectrum auctions and the U.S. bankruptcy laws.